

BEFORE THE STATE OF WASHINGTON  
ENERGY FACILITY SITE EVALUATION COUNCIL

In re Application No. 93-2	)	
of	)	
CSW ENERGY, INC., AND.	)	PREHEARING CONFERENCE
KVA RESOURCES, INC.	)	ORDER No. 9
	)	
Certification of the	)	
NORTHWEST REGIONAL	)	
POWER FACILITY	)	
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This is an application for certification of a proposed site at Creston, Lincoln County, Washington for construction and operation of a natural gas-fueled combustion turbine facility to generate electrical energy.

The Council held a prehearing conference on July 20, 1995, before Council Chair Frederick S. Adair and members C. Robert Wallis, Ron Skinnarland, and Doug Kilpatrick.

**APPEARANCES.** The following parties participated in the prehearing conference: Applicant; KVA Resources, Inc., by Darrell Peebles, attorney, Olympia, Counsel for the Environment, Deborah Mull, assistant attorney general, Olympia; Department of Ecology, by Rebecca VanderGrif, assistant attorney general, Olympia; Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation, by Steve Suagee, attorney, Nespelem; Spokane Tribe of Indians, by Christopher B. Gray, attorney, Wellpinit; Lincoln County Ag Coalition, by Daniel C. Buob, Edwall; Washington Water Power Company, by Jerry Boyd, attorney, Spokane; U.S. Department of the Interior, by Tony Sulians, attorney, Boise; Washington State Energy Office, by Tommy Prud'Homme, assistant attorney general, Olympia; Washington State Department of Fish and Wildlife, by William Frymire, assistant attorney general, Olympia; and Lincoln County, by Ronald Shepherd, Davenport.

In this order, the Council discusses scheduling matters and other administrative issues.

**Hearing Date.** By agreement of the parties present, the beginning of the adjudicative hearing was moved from October 10, 1995 to October 17, 1995.

**Next Prehearing Conference.** The parties agreed to cancel the prehearing conference previously scheduled for August 10, 1995. Instead, prehearing conferences will be held on September 14, 1995, at 2:00 p.m., and October 5, 1995, at 2:00 p.m. Both conferences will take place in Room 308 of the Energy Office.

**Issues List.** The parties agreed that the October 5, prehearing conference would serve as a time to mark exhibits and adopt a final list of issues.

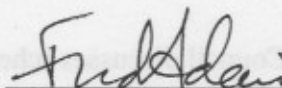
**Air Cooling Mitigation.** The Applicant agreed to mail to all parties a copy of its June 29th letter to Allen Fiksdal. This letter confirms the Applicant's decision to mitigate water use impacts through the use of air-cooled condensers. The Applicant will submit a report outlining the details of the air cooling systems to the Council and the parties of record on or before August 4, 1995. The Applicant will submit prefiled testimony reflecting this change on or before August 11, 1995.

**Electronic Filing.** The Council once again asked that all memoranda, motions, documents, etc., filed with the Council that are longer than 3 pages be delivered in both a paper and electronic format. The electronic copy must be in an IBM-based format of WordPerfect, up to Version 6.0, or Word, up to Version 6.0. Documents may be delivered on a disc for use in an IBM-compatible personal computer, or sent electronically via electronic mail (if technically feasible) or modem. The electronic version is considered a copy. The original hard copy is the original and will be retained for purposes of the record. Any technical questions may be addressed to Allen Fiksdal, Energy Facility Siting Specialist, at (360) 956-2152.

**Prefiled Testimony.** The final date for the intervenor parties to submit prefiled direct evidence was moved from September 1, 1995, to September 6, 1995. The final date for the Applicant to submit prefiled rebuttal evidence was moved from October 1, 1995, to October 3, 1995.

**Stipulations.** The Applicant advised the Council that it has nearly completed stipulated agreements with several intervenor parties. It was agreed that these stipulations would be submitted to the Council at a later prehearing conference.

DATED and effective at Olympia, Washington this 31 day of July 1995.



Fred Adair, Chair

**NOTICE TO PARTICIPANTS:** Unless modified, this prehearing order will control the course of the hearing. RCW 34.05.431; WAC 463-30-270(3). Objections to this order must be filed in writing with the Council within ten days after the date of this order. WAC 463-30-270(3).

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that on July 31, 1995, she served the enclosed:

PREHEARING CONFERENCE ORDER NO. 9

by depositing copies thereof in the United States mail, properly stamped and addressed, as  
indicated on the Northwest Regional Power Facility Service List.

DATED: July 31, 1995

  
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